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St. James's, December 30.

HIS Majesty having been graciously pleased to signify His Intention of filling up the vacant Stall of the principal Companion of the most Honourable Military Order of the Bath, in the room of his late Royal Highness the Duke of Cumberland,

This Day several of the Officers of the Order attended at St. James's.

The Sovereign wearing the Ribbon, with the Symbol of the Order pendant to it, Henry Hill, Esq; Gentleman Usher, bearing the Scarlet Rod, and habited in the Mantle of the Order, and Samuel Horsey, Esq; Bath King of Arms, in his Mantle, bearing on a Cushion the Ribbon, with the Badge of the Order, preceeded his Royal Highness Prince Frederick, supported by the Earls of Cholmondley and Breadalbane, the two senior Knights of the Order, a Gentleman Usher Daily Waiter carrying the Sword of State. — The Sword being delivered by the Earl of Breadalbane to the Sovereign, his Royal Highness kneeling was Knighted: Then the Earl of Cholmondley having received the Ribbon from Bath King of Arms, presented it to the Sovereign, who put the Ribbon over his Royal Highness's Right Shoulder: After which his Royal Highness kissed His Majesty's Hand; and, rising up, retired.

The Ceremony was performed after the Levee, in His Majesty's Closet, several Great Officers of the Court being present.

His Majesty has been graciously pleased, in Consideration of the tender Years of his Royal Highness Prince Frederick, to grant a Dispensation under His Royal Sign Manual and Seal of the Order, declaring it to be His Royal Pleasure, that the Conferring the Degree of Knighthood by the Sword of State shall be sufficient to invest his Royal Highness fully and effectually with this Order, in as ample Manner as if his Royal Highness had personally performed all the accustomed Solemnities.

St. James's, December 15.

AS several Artificers and Manufacturers, Subjects of Great Britain, have, from Time to Time, gone into Foreign Countries to exercise their several Callings, contrary to the Laws of these Kingdoms; The following Abstracts of Two Acts of Parliament of George the First and George the Second, to prevent such Practices, are published for the Information of all Persons who may be ignorant of the Penalties they may incur by Disobedience to them.—And it will be observed, that they extend to those who are any ways concerned or instrumental in the Sending or Enticing Artificers or Manufacturers out of these Kingdoms, and in the Exportation of the Tools and Instruments used by them, as well as to the Artificers or Manufacturers themselves.

Statute 5 George I. *Chap.* 27.

IF any Person shall contract with, entice, or solicit, any Artificer in Wool, Iron, Steel, Brass, or other Metal, Clock-maker, Watch-maker, or any other Artificer of Great Britain, to go into Foreign Countries out of the King's Dominions, and shall be convicted thereof upon Indictment or Information, in any of the Courts at Westminster, or at the Assizes or Quarter-Sessions, he shall be fined any Sum not exceeding ONE HUNDRED POUNDS for the first Offence, and shall be imprisoned Three Months, and till the Fine be paid. And if any Person having been once convict, shall offend again, he shall be fined at the Discretion of the Court, and imprisoned Twelve Months, and till the Fine be paid.

If any of the King's Subjects, being such Artificers, shall go into any Country out of His Majesty's Dominions, to exercise or teach the said Trades to Foreigners; and if any of the King's Subjects in any such Foreign Country, exercising any of the said Trades, shall not return into this Realm within Six Months after Warning given by the Ambassador, Minister or Consul of Great Britain, in the Country where such Artificers shall be, or by any Person authorized by such Ambassador, &c. or by one of the Secretaries of State, and from thenceforth inhabit within this Realm; such Person shall be incapable of taking any Legacy, or of being an Executor, or Administrator, and of taking any Lands, &c. within this Kingdom by Descent, Devise, or Purchase; and shall forfeit all Lands, Goods,

Goods, &c. within this Kingdom to His Majeſty's Uſe, and ſhall be deemed Alien, and out of His Majeſty's Protection.

Upon Complaint made upon Oath before any Juſtice of Peace, that any Perſon is endeavouring to ſeduce any ſuch Artificer, or that any ſuch Artificer hath contracted, or is preparing to go out of His Majeſty's Dominions, for the Purpoſes aforeſaid; ſuch Juſtice may ſend his Warrant to bring the Perſon complained of before him, or before ſome other Juſtice; and if it ſhall appear by the Oath of one Witneſs, or by Confeſſion, that he was guilty of any of the ſaid Offences, ſuch Juſtice may bind him to appear at the next Aſſizes or Quarter Seſſions: And if ſuch Perſon ſhall refuſe to give Security, the Juſtice may commit him to Gaol till the next Aſſizes or Quarter Seſſions, and until he ſhall be delivered by due Courſe of Law. And if any ſuch Artificer ſhall be convict upon Indictment of any ſuch Promiſe, Contract, or Preparation to go beyond the Seas for the Purpoſes aforeſaid, he ſhall give ſuch Security to the King, not to depart out of His Majeſty's Dominions, as ſuch Court ſhall think reaſonable, and ſhall be impriſoned till Security given.

If any of the above Offences ſhall be committed in Scotland, the ſame ſhall be proſecuted in the Court of Juſticiary, or the Circuits there.

Statute 23*d.* George IId. *Chap.* 13.

IF any Perſons ſhall contract with, or endeavour to ſeduce any Artificer in Wool, Mohair, Cotton or Silk, or in Iron, Steel, Braſs, or other Metal, or any Clock-maker, Watch-maker, or any other Artificer in any other of the Manufactures of Great-Britain or Ireland, to go out of this Kingdom or Ireland, into any foreign Country, not within the Dominions of the Crown of Great Britain, and ſhall be convicted upon Indictment or Information in the King's Bench at Weſtminſter, or by Indictment at the Aſſizes or General Gaol Delivery for the County, &c. wherein ſuch Offence ſhall be committed in England, or by Indictment in the Court of Juſticiary, or any of the Circuit Courts in Scotland; or by Indictment or Information in the King's Bench at Dublin, if ſuch Offence be committed in Ireland; the Perſon ſo convicted ſhall, for every Artificer contracted with, or ſeduced, forfeit FIVE HUNDRED POUNDS, and ſhall ſuffer Impriſonment in the common Gaol of the Country or Stewartry wherein ſuch Offender ſhall be convicted, for Twelve Calendar Months, and until Forfeiture be paid: And in Caſe of a ſubſequent Offence of the ſame Kind, the Perſons ſo again offending ſhall forfeit, for every Perſon contracted with or ſeduced, ONE THOUSAND POUNDS, and ſhall ſuffer Impriſonment in the common Gaol of the County or Stewartry wherein ſuch Offender ſhall be convicted, for Two Years, and until ſuch Forfeiture be paid.

If any Perſon in Great Britain or Ireland ſhall put on Board any Ship or Boat not bound directly to ſome Port in Great Britain or Ireland, or to ſome other of the Dominions of the Crown of Great Britain, any ſuch Tools or Utenſils as are commonly uſed in, or proper for the Preparing, Working up or Finiſhing of the Woollen or Silk Manufactures, or any Part of ſuch Tools, he ſhall for every Offence forfeit all ſuch Tools, or Parts thereof, put on Board, and TWO HUNDRED POUNDS, to be recovered by Action of Debt, &c. in any Court of Record at Weſtminſter, or in the Court of Seſſion in Scotland, or at any of the Four Courts in Dublin reſpectively, wherein no Eſſoin, &c. ſhall be allowed.

It ſhall be lawful for any Officer of the Cuſtoms in Great Britain, and for any Officer of the Revenue in Ireland, to ſeize and ſecure, in ſome of His Majeſty's Warehouſes, all ſuch Tools or Utenſils prohibited to be exported, as ſuch Officer ſhall find on Board any Veſſel not bound directly to ſome Port in Great Britain or Ireland, or to ſome other of the Dominions of the Crown of Great Britain; and all Tools ſo ſeized ſhall, after Condemnation, be publickly ſold to the beſt Bidder; and one Moiety of the Produce ſhall be to the Uſe of His Majeſty, and the other Moiety to the Officer who ſhall ſeize and ſecure the ſame.

If the Captain of any Veſſel in Great Britain or Ireland knowingly permit any of the ſaid Tools, prohibited to be exported, to be put on Board his Veſſel, he ſhall for every ſuch Offence forfeit ONE HUNDRED POUNDS, to be recovered as the Penalties inflicted upon Perſons exporting the Tools; and if the Veſſel belongs to His Majeſty, the Captain ſhall not only forfeit ONE HUNDRED POUNDS, but ſhall alſo forfeit his Employment, and be incapable of any Employment under His Majeſty.

If any Officer of the Cuſtoms in Great Britain, or of the Revenue in Ireland, take, or knowingly ſuffer to be taken, any Entry outward, or ſign any Cocket or Sufferance for the Shipping or Exporting of any of the ſaid Tools, or knowingly ſuffer the ſame to be done, he ſhall forfeit ONE HUNDRED POUNDS, to be recovered as aforeſaid, and alſo forfeit his Office, and be incapable of any Office under His Majeſty.

One Moiety of the Forfeitures ſhall be applied to the Uſe of His Majeſty, and the other Moiety to the Uſe of the Perſon who ſhall ſue for the ſame.

Conſtantinople, November 16. The Kehaia Beg died the 5th Inſtant: The Reis Effendi has been promoted to his Place: The Chiaus Baſhi is made Reis Effendi; and Latif Beg, a Son of a Paſha, is made Chiaus Baſhi. Yeſterday the Captain Paſha came to an Anchor at the Point of the Seraglio, from his annual Tour in the Levant.

Naples, December 1. The Tranſports are returned to Naples, after having landed the Jeſuits in the Eccleſiaſtical State near Terracina.

Genoa, December 5. The 2d Inſtant the Small Council re-elected M. D'Ageno to reſide as their Miniſter in London; and he will depart in about Five or Six Weeks for London.

Berlin,

Berlin, December 19. Laſt Wedneſday Prince Henry of Pruſſia arrived in this Capital from Rhinſberg, and the King of Pruſſia this Day from Potzdam, both in perfect Health. The Diverſions of the Carnival will begin on Monday next, and continue till the End of January.

Royal Hoſpital for Seamen at Greenwich, September 26, 1767.

The Commiſſioners of this Hoſpital do hereby give Notice, That at Salters Hall in London, on Wedneſday the 3d Day of April, 1768, *or as ſoon after as may be, the* Colliery *and* Limeſtone Quarries *and* Sale Kilns, *ſituate at* Scremerſton *in the County of* Durham, *now in the Poſſeſſion of John Romer, Eſq; will be let on Leaſe for Twenty-one Years or under, to commence upon the 12th Day of May* 1768. *Such Perſons as may be willing to take the ſaid Eſtates, are deſired to ſend their Propoſals in Writing, on or before the 1ſt Day of April*, 1768, *to* Mr. Ibbetſon, *at the Admiralty-Office, London; or, on or before the 30th Day of March*, 1768, *to Meſſ.* Walton and Smeaton, *at Farnacres near Newcaſtle upon Tyne.*

N. B. The ſaid Commiſſioners reſerve the Lime-kiln near the Sea, and that built by the late Mr. Anorum; as alſo Liberty for their Tenants of Scremerſton to get ſuch Limeſtones as ſhall be neceſſary for their reſpective Farms, to be uſed either in the Improvement thereof, or in making or repairing any Kind of Buildings or Erections whatſoever.

Jn° Ibbetſon.

Dr. *ANDERSON*'s, or The Famous *SCOTS* PILLS;

ARE faithfully prepared only by JAMES INGLISH, Son of DAVID INGLISH, deceaſed, at the Unicorn, over-againſt the New Church in the Strand, London; and to prevent Counterfeits from Scotland, as well as in and about London, you are deſired to take Notice, That the true Pills have their Boxes ſealed on the Top (in Black Wax) with a Lyon Rampant, and Three Mullets Argent, Dr. Anderſon's Head betwixt I. I. with his Name round it, and Iſabella Engliſh underneath the Shield in a Scroll. They are of excellent Uſe in all Caſes where Purging is neceſſary, and may be taken with Epſom, Tunbridge, or other Medicinal Waters.

THE Creditors who have proved their Debts under the Commiſſion of Bankrupt awarded and iſſued againſt Laurance Commins, late of Narrow-Street Ratcliffe Croſs in the County of Middleſex, Mariner, Dealer and Chapman, are deſired to meet the Aſſignees of the Eſtate and Effects of the ſaid Bankrupt, on the 6th Day of January inſtant, at Eleven o'Clock in the Forenoon, at the Nag's Head Tavern in Leadenhall-Street, in order to aſſent to or diſſent from the ſaid Aſſignees commencing, proſecuting, or defending one or more Suit or Suits at Law or in Equity concerning the Eſtate and Effects of the ſaid Bankrupt; or their agreeing, compounding, or ſubmitting to Arbitration, any Debt or Debts due to the ſaid Eſtate, or on any other Matter or Thing relating thereto.

THE Creditors who have proved their Debts under a Commiſſion of Bankrupt awarded and iſſued againſt Andrew Peter Dupont, late of Bucklersbury, London, Merchant, are deſired to meet the Aſſignees of the ſaid Bankrupt's Eſtate and Effects, on the 5th Day of January inſtant, at Twelve o'Clock at Noon, at the Rainbow Coffee-houſe in Cornhill, in order to empower the ſaid Aſſignees to commence and proſecute one or more Suit or Suits at Law or in Equity for the Recovery of the ſaid Bankrupt's Eſtate and Effects; and alſo for compounding, ſubmitting to Arbitration, or otherwiſe agreeing, any Matter or Matters relating thereto:

Antigua, September 29, 1767.

PURſuant to the Decree of the Honourable the Court of Chancery of this Iſland, dated the Eighteenth Day of September Inſtant, this is to give Notice, that on the Second Day of Auguſt, One thouſand ſeven hundred and ſixty-eight, will be ſold at my Office in the Town of St. John in the ſaid Iſland Antigua, at Publick Outcry, between the Hour of Three o'Clock in the Afternoon and Sun-Setting of the ſame Day, All the Plantation late of George Weatherill, Eſq; deceaſed, and the Buildings thereon erected, ſituate in the Diviſion of St. John and Pariſh of St. John in the ſaid Iſland, with the Slaves, Coppers, Cattle, Mules and Horſes, and all Plantation Utenſils thereto belonging, to the higheſt Bidder, for Gold and Silver Money.

The ſaid Plantation contains about Four Hundred Acres, to which there are belonging about One Hundred and Fifty-one Slaves, Eighty-one Head of Horned Cattle, Five Mules and Six Horſes.

On the ſaid Plantation there is a Dwelling-Houſe and other Buildings, One Stone Windmill, One Boiling Houſe, one Side of it ſtantioned and fitted for Curing of Sugar, with Ten Coppers, One Still-Houſe, with Liquor Casks, Three Stills, with Six Worms and Worm Tubs, Four Carts, and divers other Plantation Utenſils. The Inventory of which ſaid Plantation, Slaves, Building, Cattle, Mules, Horſes, and Utenſils, is lodged at my Office, and is there to be peruſed by any Perſon in Office Hours Gratis. The ſaid Plantation lies about Two Miles from the Town of St. John. All Perſons who are inclined to bid for the ſame are to put in their Propoſals in Writing in my Office, ſigned by themſelves in a Book in my Office kept for that Purpoſe.

Note, The beſt Bidder for the ſaid Eſtate muſt, upon the ſaid Second Day of Auguſt, depoſit in my Hands the Sum of Six Thouſand Pounds Gold and Silver current Money of Antigua, or the Sum of Three Thouſand Five Hundred Pounds lawful Money of Great Britain, in good Bills of Exchange, drawn or indorſed by ſome reſponſible Inhabitant of Antigua, and made payable at Sixty Days Sight, and ſuch Bills are to be drawn upon ſome reſponſible Merchant or other Perſon in London, ſubject to the Direction of the Court of Chancery of this Iſland.

Edward Gamble, Maſter in Chancery.

Antigua, September 29, 1767.

IN Purſuance of a Decree of the Honourable the Court of Chancery of this Iſland, dated the Eighteenth Day of September Inſtant, this is to give Notice to all the Creditors of George Weatherill, late of the ſaid Iſland, Eſq; deceaſed, that they prove their Debts before me by the Second Day of Auguſt 1768, or in Default thereof they will be peremptorily excluded the Benefit of the ſaid Decree.

Edward Gamble, Maſter in Chancery.

TO be ſold, purſuant to a Decree of the High Court of Chancery, before Thomas Cuddon, Eſq; one of the Maſters of the ſaid Court, at his Chambers in Symond's Inn in Chancery-Lane, London, The Freehold Eſtate of William Lewis, late of the Pariſh of St. Andrew Holborn, Clerk, deceaſed, ſituate and lying in the Town and Pariſh of Newtown in the County of Montgomery, of the yearly Value of 73 l. or thereabouts. Particulars whereof may be had at the ſaid Maſter's Chambers.

THE Creditors who have proved their Debts under a Commiſſion of Bankrupt awarded and iſſued againſt John Burghall, of Holborn Bridge, London, Cheeſemonger, Dealer and Chapman, are deſired to meet the Aſſignees of the Eſtate and Effects of the ſaid Bankrupt, on Wedneſday the 6th Day of January inſtant, at Five o'Clock in the Afternoon, at the Swan Tavern on Fiſh-Street Hill, London, in order to aſſent or diſſent from the ſaid Aſſignees commencing, proſecuting, or defending any Actions or Suits at Law or in Equity concerning the ſaid Bankrupt's Eſtate and Effects; or their agreeing, compounding, or ſubmitting to Arbitration any Debt or Debts due to the ſaid Eſtate, or otherwiſe agreeing and ſettling any Matters relating thereto; and on other ſpecial Affairs.

THE Creditors who have proved their Debts under a Commiſſion of Bankrupt awarded againſt John Price, late of the Pariſh of St. Matthew Bethnal Green in the County of Middleſex, Plaiſterer, Dealer and Chapman, are deſired to meet the Aſſignees of the ſaid Bankrupt's Eſtate, on Wedneſday the 6th Day of January inſtant, at Six o'Clock in the Evening, at the Crown in Winchester-Street near Moorfields,

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